

REMARKS

Claims 1-56 are present in this application. These claims have been subjected to restriction by the Examiner under 35 USC §1.121 as follows:

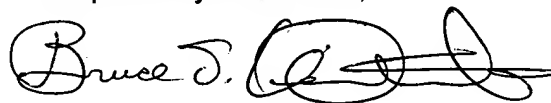
Group I, directed to Claims 1-27 and 38-46, drawn to an analytical test device and kit, classified in Class 435, Subclass 287.1; and

Group II, directed to Claims 28-37, drawn to methods for detecting one or more analytes, classified in Class 435, Subclass 5.

Group III, directed to Claims 47-56, drawn to a kit, classified in class 422, subclass 61.

In order to be fully responsive to the Examiner's requirement for restriction, Applicants provisionally elect to prosecute the subject matter of Group III, Claims 47-56, and reserve the right to file a divisional application directed to the non-elected subject matter of the remaining claims in this application. In order to advance prosecution, Applicants cancel herewith Claims 1-46 without prejudice.

Respectfully submitted,

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